

THE PASSING YEARS

BY CHARLES MACAULEY
Fourth Week in March

1939

Record crowd sees annual Steeplechase races here. Spills and thrills feature five-event card on Midland Road course.

Patty Berg cards 223 to retain Women's Mid-South golf crown. Mrs. Page second.

1935

Governor heads throng at inaugural race meeting of new Steeplechase association.

Order of Eastern Star installs new officers. Mrs. Ethel Council, worthy matron, Frank Wilson, patron of Magnolia chapter.

1930

Struthers Burt gives a lecture at Carthage.

Church Garden Fete. Second anniversary of the garden of the Church of Wide Fellowship.

On Tuesday afternoon little Maxwell Grey, Jr., celebrated his seventh birthday with a birthday party at the home of his parents.

1925

The Babeball team of the Southern Pines High School for 1925: George Richardson, Merritt Sugg, J. T. Dillehay, Ellis Maples, Charles Bridgham, Elmer Davis, James Wilson, Arthur Olmsted, Earl Merrill, Alden Bowers and Constantino Montesanti.

"The happiest boy in Southern Pines is Malcolm Grover who won the pony that was given away at the auction."

1920

Scoutmaster William Tweeds Tiers and his assistant, John Ruggles spent four days at the new camp at Thagards.

1915

Local firemen hold first carnival. Southern Pines' fire laddies open big event on Tuesday with creditable parade, followed by various interesting contest and other features.

1910

The Southern Pines Maine Association holds its annual reunion—Fine addresses, music, letters, views and fellowship.

Big Forest Fire. A thousand acres burned over and many homes barely saved from destruction.

1905

Southern Pines wins. The baseball season has opened promisingly. Already the Southern Pines team has games with Pinehurst and in both games Southern Pines won. In the last game score, 14 to 9, Schwartz, J. Chandler and Chatfield distinguished themselves.

1900

Charles Sumner Patch is the name of the latest arrival in town and he tipped the scales at 8 1/2 pounds at the time of his debut at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Patch on the 22nd inst.

Rev. George R. Ramsom, pastor of the Congregational church in Southern Pines, and long identified with the town and its people died.

1895

E. H. Curtis, Groceries, Canned Goods, Wooden and Tin Ware. Butter, Cheese and Eggs.—Adv."

Your Library

Southern Pines Institution Now Becoming a Center for The Arts

BY KAY MARTIN

We are very happy because the library is at last becoming what other libraries have long been—a center for the arts. This week Miss Helene van Wagoner is exhibiting seven of her water colors in the stack room of the library. There are three views of Mt. Washington, one of New Jersey, and three of the Carolinas.

Recently, one of our good friends, Miss Mary R. Callan, gave the library a folio of light Van Gogh reproductions. Six of these were framed by A. B. Yeomans and are also

If anyone has books of plays or poetry which they don't use, the library would be very pleased to own them. Volumes of this nature are

used in work with the high school students, and we never seem to have enough to go around. Don't forget the library next time you go through your books.

We have had some very wonderful books given to us recently. Mrs. P. H. Thayer brought down a great many, most of them very fine children's books. Needless to say, we can always use them. A very exciting present was the gift of Sandburg's "Abraham Lincoln, The War Years" from Mr. and Mrs. James Boyd.

Have you seen the replica of the Rouen cathedral rose window which hangs in the stack room? It was fashioned from ply-wood and after-Christmas cellophane by Miss Mary Yeomans and is a gift of which we're very proud.

Two of our present book enthusiasts are "I Believe" edited by Clifton Fadiman and "Land Below the

Wind" by Agnes Keith. The former is a collection of the philosophies of twenty-one eminent persons. (All alive today except Havelock Ellis, whose death last July came after the book was compiled.) The latter is an amusing book by an American girl, the wife of an Englishman, and concerns their lives in Borneo. The author's clever illustrations add a great deal to the text.

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Notice is hereby given that the Board of County Commissioners of Moore County will meet as the BOARD OF EQUALIZATION AND REVIEW at the Court House in Carthage on TUESDAY, MARCH 26, 1940 for the purpose of hearing complaints about 1940 valuations for those living in McNeill, Sandhill and Mineral Springs Townships; Wednesday, March 27, 1940 for those living in Carthage, Bensalem, Sheffield, Ritter, Deep River and Greenwood. No complaints will be considered after the work of the County Board of Equalization and Review is completed on March 27th.

This March 12, 1940.

BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
MOORE COUNTY.

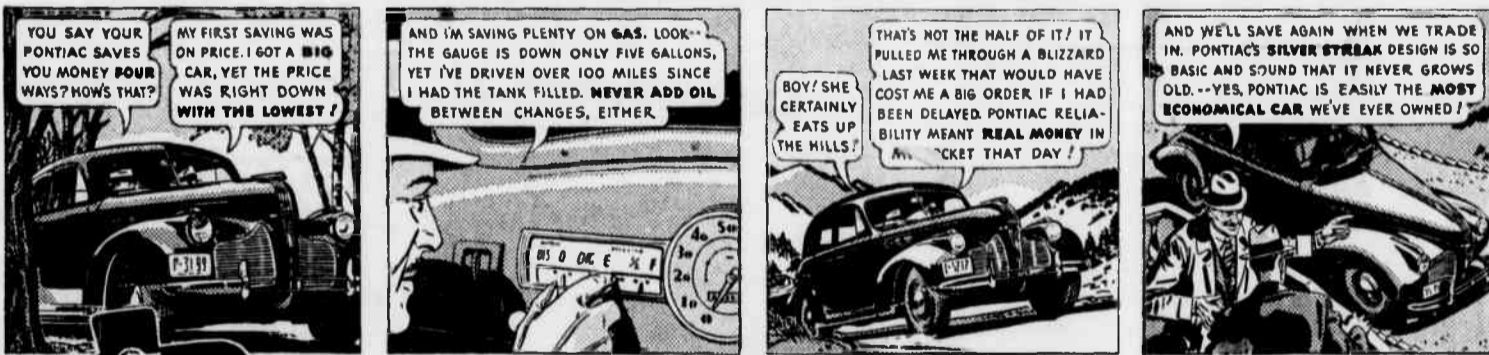


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